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1. Specification and claims; Declaration/Power of Attorney duly signed November 25, 2003 and attached thereto;
2. Three drawings on strong paper accompanying the specification (M.P.E.P. 608.02-rev. 81);
3. Deposit Account order for Filing Fee: \$ 770.= dated November 27, 2003 (duplicate);
4. Deposit Account order for Assignment fee : \$ 40.= dated November 27, 2003;
5. Assignment of the Invention to: NORDICA S.p.A.
6. Information Disclosure Statement + Standard European Search Report + Cited references.

The priority of the here-under listed Application is respectfully claimed:

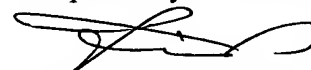
– Italian Application No. TV2002A000149 filed December 9, 2002.

A Certified Copy of the above priority Application is attached hereto.

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- ☒ An Assignment of the Invention to NORDICA S.p.A.
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